

IN THE CLAIMS

1-9 (Canceled).

10. (Currently Amended) A reagent setup method for registering reagent parameters corresponding to inspection items used in an analytical apparatus, said reagent parameters being different corresponding to reagents and plural reagent manufacturers, comprising the steps of, storing said reagent parameters of reagents supplied by plural reagent manufacturers into a storage medium,

providing a reagent parameter set of one of said inspection items and one of plural reagent manufacturers corresponding to specifications of said reagents by using said reagent parameters stored in said storage medium, and registering said reagent parameter set provided in said respective analytical apparatus so as to use said reagent in said analytical apparatus.

11. (Currently Amended) A reagent setup method as defined in claim 10, further comprising the step of,

measuring a series of data of samples based on  
one of said reagent parameters registered in said storage  
medium by using said reagent supplied by said plural  
reagent manufacturers in said analytical apparatus.

12. (Currently Amended) A reagent setup method as defined in claim 11, further comprising the step of, after measuring the series of data of samples, reporting outputting a series of results obtained by measuring the series of data of said samples from said analytical apparatus.

13. (Withdrawn) A reagent setup processing apparatus for registering reagent parameters supplied by plural reagent manufacturers according to analytical object in an analytical apparatus, comprising,

a storage medium for storing said reagent parameters of reagents,

specifications-parameter means for providing a reagent parameter set corresponding to specifications of said reagents by using said reagent parameters stored in said storage medium, and

registering means for registering said reagent parameter set provided by said specifications-parameter means in said respective analytical apparatus.

14. (Withdrawn) A reagent setup processing apparatus as defined in claim 13, further comprising,

data measuring means for measuring a series of data of samples based on said reagent parameters registered in said storage medium by using said reagent supplied by said plural reagent manufacturers.

15. (Withdrawn) A reagent setup method as defined in claim 14, further comprising,

result reporting means for reporting a series of results obtained by measuring the series of data of samples after measuring the series of data of said samples.